

## **CITY OF BROKEN ARROW SANITATION PICKUP INFORMATION**

Sanitation pickup is provided to residential customers twice weekly. In order to provide efficient and timely pickup, we ask that the following regulations be observed:

1. **BAGS REQUIRED:** All household waste must be in plastic bags with a capacity of 30 gallons or less and tied even if it is in a trashcan. If the waste is not in plastic bags, sanitation personnel are not required to pick it up.
2. **PICKUP TIME:**
  - a. Everything that is to be picked up must be set at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the regular pickup day.
  - b. The exact time of pickup on each day depends on the volume of trash placed out and the number of people picking up trash that day.
  - c. Sanitation employees begin work at 7:00 a.m. each day and work until all routes are completed. In the summer time, this may be as late as 9:00 p.m.
3. **YARD WASTE:**
  - a. There is a limit of 10 bags of yard waste per household per pickup. For each bag over 10, there will be a charge of \$1.00 per bag.
  - b. Yard waste bags larger than 30 gallons will be charged as 2 bags.
  - c. All tree limbs, brush, branches and lumber must be cut in four to five foot lengths and tied in bundles.
  - d. Grass clippings must be put in plastic bags and tied. Loose grass in a trash can will not be picked up.
  - e. Yard waste that cannot be put in the sanitation truck will require a special pickup that will result in an additional charge.
4. **THE CITY DOES NOT PICKUP:**
  - a. Hazardous waste of any type including, but not limited to oil, paint, batteries, refrigerators, freezers, air conditions, and similar items.
  - b. Roofing or materials from remodeling.
  - c. Bags of dirt or rocks.
  - d. Hypodermic syringes, needles and other objects used or intended for use in injecting or removing any substance into or from the human body that are not in the proper type of container. For further information see Section 12-26(a), Code of Ordinances, City of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

If you have problems with dogs or cats bothering your garbage, you may contact Animal Control Office at 259-8311. By ordinance, dogs and cats must be kept up 24 hours a day or they may be picked up and the Broken Arrow Police will issue a citation. Residents are responsible for messes made by their animals.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sanitation Department  
City of Broken Arrow